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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above patent application is a Reply to the Final Office Action mailed October 20, 2004, and a Request for Continued Examination.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **Deposit Account No. 50-0876** for the fees for the three-month extension and for the request for continued examination (total: \$1810.00) and any other fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment.

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**REPLY AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed October 20, 2004, the Applicant submits this Reply.

Applicant hereby petitions for a **three-month extension of time** to submit this Reply. Please charge the extension fee of **\$1020.00** to **Deposit Account No. 50-0876**.

**A Request for Continued Examination** accompanies this Reply.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 5, of which the **Conclusion** is on page 8.